

## Believes Pool Will Be Found in South Alberta; Urges Deep Test Well

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(With Apologies to R. K.)

FROM HANDCAR TO PACKARD  
IS STORY OF SECTION HAND  
WHO IS GETTING \$36 A DAY

## OIL FIELD ACCIDENTS CAUSED 62 DEATHS

Accidents in the California oil producing industry in 1923 caused the loss of 62 lives, according to a report made by H. C. Miller, associate petroleum engineer, Department of the Interior, to the Bureau of Mines. These 62 deaths were from oil-producing accidents alone and do not include fatalities at the refineries, on tankers, or on any work not directly connected with the drilling for and the production of oil. The number of fatalities for 1923 was 82 per cent greater than in 1922, the next most fatal year, with a record of 34 lives lost.

For the calendar years 1917 to 1923, inclusive, an average of 4.74 million barrels of oil were produced per fatality in the California oil fields. On this basis, the record for 1923, though a trifle below the average, is slightly better than that for 1922.

The average for the seven year period, 1917 to 1923, inclusive, is 17.31 drilling wells per fatality. The 1923 average of 12.2 drilling wells per fatality shows that 1923, from the standpoint of safety, was an exceptionally bad year for the oil industry of California.

For the year 1923 the machinery in the derrick caused 25 of the deaths. A large percentage of these could have been avoided, the Bureau of Mines considers, had adequate safeguards been installed.

Falls of persons were responsible for 12 deaths, 7 of which were caused by workmen falling from platforms in the derrick and four from falls in scaffolds and staging. The seven derrick accidents could have been avoided, the Bureau points out, had the unfortunate worn life-belts while at work above the derrick floor, and, though the records do not show how many of these accidents were caused by the neglect of the employers to provide life belts or how many were caused by failure of the employees to use the belts provided, observations in the field indicate that the responsibility rests jointly with the employer and the employee.

Another outstanding fact developed through the study of the fatality list is the number of accidents that proved fatal to workmen through getting caught in the catline and wound around the cathead. There were seven of these fatalities in 1923 and four out of the seven men killed were drillers.

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## MARKET REPORT

Wheat	
No. 1 .....	109.
No. 2 .....	106
No. 3 .....	101
Oats	
2 C. W. ....	32c
3 C. W. ....	29c

Mr. Geo. Onstad, an oil man from Montana has been looking over the Irma-Fabyan-Wainwright field the past week. Mr. Onstad is well pleased with conditions in the new field signified his intentions of returning at a later date when he would undertake the drilling of some wells on acreage he has arranged for.

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Pure! No chicory or any adulterant in  
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## Prospects Are Brighter

A decided change has been effected in the feelings of Western people during the past few weeks, with the result that a new spirit of courage and hopefulness has replaced discouragement and despondency in many homes and even districts. This change is noticeable in the conversation of people. In the renewed interest they are taking, not only in their own affairs, but in all matters of public concern, and is being reflected in a more confident note among business men.

The cause for this better tone is not far to seek. It is largely to be found in one development, the rising price of wheat, although there are other contributing factors. On the date this article is written, No. 1 Northern cash wheat is quoted at a fraction of a cent under \$1.20 a bushel on the Winnipeg market, as compared with less than a dollar only a few weeks ago. The demand for wheat is strong in Liverpool, Chicago and Winnipeg, and the confident prediction of well informed grain men is that the price trend will continue upward, and that the era of low prices has gone for this year at least.

The change has been brought about by a realization that the world production of wheat last year was very considerably over-estimated, coupled with a reduced acreage seeded to wheat this year, to some slight extent in Canada, to quite a considerable extent in the United States. The Argentine crop last year fell millions of bushels below expectations; the winter wheat crop of the United States shows a decrease of approximately one-seventh in acreage, meaning fifty million or more less bushels, while the spring wheat crop, exclusive of Durum, promises to be short of actual home requirements.

Coupled with this world situation, and with Canada now in the very front rank as one of the chief wheat exporting nations of the world, is the fact that spring seeding throughout the West was carried on under almost ideal conditions, while the all-important June rains, with an absence of unseasonable hot weather, has resulted in the wheat rooting well and developing a strong growth.

The uncertainty which has prevailed for some time regarding the pool method of marketing has been definitely ended by the success achieved in securing the required acreage under contract in Saskatchewan for pool purposes, thus guaranteeing that the pool method of marketing will be in effect this year throughout the three Prairie Provinces. While actual experience alone will demonstrate the feasibility of the pool plan, the grain growers will at least have the assurance that their own interests will be well looked after, and this makes for increased confidence.

Another factor in the situation is that with the restoration of the Cross's Nest Agreement rates in full force, further reductions in freight rates on commodities of vital importance to the farming community will be in effect.

Still another factor is the rapid development of the Western route for grain shipments through the port of Vancouver and the extensive improvements being made to that port, and the provision of larger elevator facilities there in adequately handling the enormously increasing trade. The increase in grain shipments from the prairies to Vancouver last year was phenomenal, and at one time last year 42 vessels were in port. The statement is made that this year will show a still larger growth, and that commencing in September a fleet of not less than 200 vessels will operate out of Vancouver, including many tramp boats in addition to the vessels making regular calls. Whatever may be the situation in other grain producing countries, the 1924 prospects are brighter for Western Canada than for some years past. Last year the West had no cause for complaint on the score of the size or quality of its wheat crop; the whole trouble was the low price which left a very small profit over costs of production and marketing, and in many instances no profit at all. Given a fair average crop this year, and substantially better prices—both of which appear likely of realization—a marked improvement in Western conditions is assured.

## Prorogation In July

Canadian Federal Parliament Has Much Business Yet to Dispose Of. It is expected that the present session of the Canadian Federal Parliament will not prorogue before the middle of July at the earliest. There is still a considerable volume of work to be dealt with and even by eliminating the Wednesday evening session and sitting on Saturday mornings the business that Parliament must deal with cannot be cleared up in less time than a month or six weeks. Work on the completion of the tower that is to be built over the main entrance to the main building on Parliament Hill has begun, and it is expected, will be finished this year.

## Good Price For Wheat

A. Nicholson, a farmer in the Rosebud district of Alberta, recently sold ready for the mills to a flour mill company. The company paid Mr. Nicholson a fraction over 92 cents a bushel, the top price, and he realized \$23,000 for last season's crop of wheat. It was of the highest grade. Mr. Nicholson had an unusually high average yield and as he cleaned the wheat on his own farm there was no dockage. He saved charges on waste and fed the waste to his cattle.

## Growth of Alberta

Although it is only thirteen years ago that Alberta became a province, its population has increased four-fold, while the grain yield has increased twenty-fold. Even at the present low prices the total agricultural production of Alberta in 1923 was worth \$22,000,000.

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## Tourist Trade Valuable

Amount Spent Last Year in Sweden Was \$5,000,000

About \$5,000,000 was spent in Sweden last year by 50,000 tourists, according to estimates compiled from data collected by the Swedish Traffic Association. It has been possible to estimate from the business done by hotels, steamship lines, railroads, the larger places of amusement, etc., that the number of foreign visitors in Sweden has risen from about 35,000 in 1920 to about 50,000 in 1923.

The money brought into a country by tourist trade is usually spoken of vaguely as part of the "invisible trade balance," but experts in Sweden are now becoming interested in estimating these expenditures per capita. T. Segerstrale, director of the Swedish Traffic Association, has compiled the average expenditure which Swedes by tourists as about \$100 for each person.

## Drives Out Rheumatism

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Those who seek permanent relief from the grinding pains of Rheumatism and Lumbago should read the letter of P. E. Normand, from Georgetown, who writes:

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## A Mother's Tribute

Sent Wild Flowers To Be Placed On Cenotaph

A police constable on duty at the Cenotaph was surprised by a postman handing him a package addressed to "The Policemen at the Cenotaph, Whitehall, London."

He carefully opened it and found that it contained a little bunch of wild flowers, packed with the greatest care.

With the flowers was a little note asking the policeman kindly to place them on the Cenotaph, as the writer was unable to travel so far to do so herself.

The constable reverently complied with the modest request. The flowers were a mother's tribute to her dead son—London Letter.

## CHILDHOOD CONSTIPATION

Constipated children can find prompt relief through the use of Baby's Own Tablets. The Tablets are a mild but thorough laxative which never fail to regulate the bowels and restore to this driving, enervating condition of indigestion, colds and simple fevers. Concerning them, Mrs. Gaby's Own Tablets, Quebec, writes: "My baby has been of great benefit to my little boy, who was suffering from constipation and indigestion. They quickly relieved him and now he is in the best of health. The Tablets are sold by medicine dealers by mail at 25c a box from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont."

## A Huge Payroll

The payroll of the combined British Columbia timber interests is estimated to be not less than \$50,000,000. This represents at least one-third of the total industrial payroll of the province and, at a conservative estimate, proves the means of support for at least a quarter of its total population. There are over 2,600 firms exclusively engaged in the production, manufacture and handling of British Columbia wood products.

Corns are caused by the pressure of tight boots, but no one need be troubled with them when so simple a remedy as Holloway's Corn Remover is available.

## Something To Boast Of

Maubin, Burma, has the largest and most mosquitoes in the world, scientists declare. Great detachments of mosquitoes swarm out to meet every visitor. They hang in fountains from the white awnings, the mosquito nets, the table linen and the punkah flaps. Every window and crevice of the European houses in Maubin is protected by sliding curtains of iron gauze.

## Motor Graveyard

Automobiles sometimes die young. In the "motor graveyard"—a lake near Inful, Eng., which lies beneath a high cliff—workmen for insurance companies have dragged up many new automobiles recently.

The route taken by Captain Roald Amundsen in his North Pole flight this month will be by way of Genoa, Zurich, Zuelzer Zee, Bergen and Spitzbergen.

Minard's Liniment, the Athlete's Remedy

## Curious Exhibit At Wembley

Insignia of Sierra Leone's Notorious Society of the Human Leopards

One of the curious things to be seen at the British Empire Exhibition at Wembley is the "Herdia," or insignia of Sierra Leone's notorious secret society of the Human Leopards.

This dread organization, with others of its kind, has now been disbanded by the government, but while these savage gangs existed they terrorized the natives by a well organized system of blackmail and extortion.

Founded solely for cannibalistic purposes was the "Human Alligator Society." This was composed of a set of expert swimmers and divers, who would swim long distances under the water, spring out and grab some unwary one, who would be dragged under and drowned. To detect suspicion in case they were seen, they wore the head and skin of a crocodile, or hid behind two canes.

Each member of this band was obliged, when so ordered, to furnish a fresh victim or he would be captured and decapitated.

The acting member of the "Human Leopards" on the other hand, was disguised in the mask and pelt of a leopard. Should anyone refuse the demands of this tribunal, or otherwise offend it, the victim would be attacked from behind, and sharp from claws would be dug into his throat.

## Editors Gone Touring

187 Weekly Newspapersmen Are Making Tour of Europe

One hundred and eighty-seven editors of weekly and semi-weekly newspapers throughout Canada, members of the Canadian Weekly Newspaper Association, left Montreal on the S.S. Melita, which sailed for Liverpool on June 11th for a trip to Europe. The party, which is headed by W. R. Davis, editor of the *Ontario Mercury*, and chairman of the association, will visit the principal places in the British Isles including, of course, the British Empire Exhibition, and the battlefields of France and Belgium. It will be some time in August before the party will be home again. Several of the editors are accompanied by their wives.

## Difficult to Start

Aircraft in Arctic

Only Air-Cooled Engine Can Be Started Easily

After testing British aircraft within the Arctic Circle, Frank Courtney has returned and related his experiences. He says the cold was intense and difficulties were experienced in starting the engines. Oil had to be brought up to the burning point before being put into the engine. The air-cooled engines start fairly easily, but steam had to be blown through the water-jackets of the others to bring them up to a reasonable temperature for starting.

## Thinks Tar Causes Cancer

Do tarred roads cause cancer? City Councillor Jousellin, of Paris, maintains they do. Pointing to the greatly increased mortality from cancer in recent years, he observes that it is particularly prevalent among workers handling tar. For this reason he recently demanded that the tarring of roads should cease in the department of the Seine.

## On Any Hot Day

Clark's Cooked Corn Beef is ready to serve and provides a delicious, nutritious course. No bone—no waste—Economic. "Let the Clark Kitchen help you to do less cooking in hot weather."

## To Increase Expenditure

Influenced by conditions of unemployment existing in the province the Ontario Government has decided to increase by \$1,500,000, its contemplated expenditure during the summer on highways. The original programme called for the expenditure of about \$5,000,000.

For Frost Bites and Chilblains.—Chilblains come from undue exposure to wind and frost and frost bite from the icy winds of winter. In the treatment of either an excellent preparation is Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil, which counteracts the inflammation and relieves the pain. The action of the oil is prompt and its application is extremely simple.

The Moslems of India believe there are seven unlucky days in each month, on which no new enterprise should be undertaken.

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Meet in Winnipeg While no place or date has been set for the 1925 convention of the Canadian Manufacturers' Association, it is understood that Winnipeg will be chosen as the place.

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## West Will Discuss Railway Problems

Situation To Be Studied At Conference In Winnipeg During July

With a view to reaching some definite policy respecting the railway situation in Northern Canada a conference under Dominion cabinet ministers and representatives of all provinces interested will be held in Winnipeg during the month of July. The exact date of the proposed meeting will be guided by adjournment of parliament.

It will be the purpose of the gathering to secure the real facts in connection with the railway situation. Maps will be studied, data collected, reports of engineers reviewed, and costs computed. It is expected that some acceptable and workable plan for the future railway service of Northern Alberta and British Columbia will be reached. Together with other transportation questions of importance the Hudson's Bay Railway may come up for discussion.

The premiers of all the western provinces have signified their desire to attend while officials of Canadian Pacific and Canadian National railways will be present.

## Unfit To Live—Must Die

This verdict is rendered a thousand times every week—no corn can live, it must pass out, drop off, if Putnam's Extract is applied to corns and warts. Use the old reliable "Putnam's" it never fails, 25c at all dealers.

## Millions For Terminals

Advance To Be Asked For Facilities In Vancouver Harbor

Legislation is to be brought down by Hon Ernest Lapointe, minister of marine and fisheries, providing for additional advances not exceeding \$5,000,000 to the Vancouver harbor commissioners to complete construction of terminal facilities in Vancouver harbor, for which plans, specifications and estimates have already been approved by the governor-in-council.

The advances may further be utilized in the construction of such additional terminal facilities as are approved and considered necessary for the proper equipment of the Port of Vancouver.

"Sir, I have no home," began the tramp, and—"No taxes to pay, no rent, no coal bills, no worry over the rise in dairy products!" Permitted me to congratulate you.

"I have no job, and—" "Lucky man! No danger of being sacked."

"But I am serious. I have no money, and—" "No temptation to spend it foolishly on alcoholized buggers. Why, you're a veritable child of fortune. Good day."

## First Protestant President

Gaston Doumergue, New Head of French Republic, Occupies Unique Position

For the first time in history France has elected a Protestant president. Gaston Doumergue, the new head of the republic, is a Calvinist, which in Canada would correspond to a Presbyterian. The election of Doumergue shows how wide is the breach between the state and the church in France and how small a part religion now plays in politics.

Previously, the president of France also has been a canon of the church of St. John Lateran, Rome, but it is doubtful if the pope will appoint a non-Catholic to this post.

As president of France, Doumergue receives a salary of \$350,000 a year, thus making him the highest paid Republican head in the world.

## Lightning Safe Fences

If fence posts are of wood or cement, a safeguard stock from lightning, either put in a steel fence post every few rods or staple heavy fence wire the entire length of post in contact with the fence wires, so as to ground them. Then if lightning strikes the fence, or a tree near the fence, the death dealing bolt will not follow far along the fence and kill stock that may have pushed against it in a storm. Of course, if the posts are of steel they ground the wires perfectly. "Wire fences fastened to buildings should be grounded at the last post or two and at buildings."

One of the commonest complaints of infants is worms, and the most effective application for them is Mother Graves' Worm Exterminator.

## Britain Behind In Poultry

Noel Buxton, British minister of agriculture, presiding at a dinner in connection with the world's poultry congress, stated that both Canada and the United States are ahead of Great Britain in poultry matters. Last year Great Britain imported poultry and eggs to the value of \$70,400,000, he said. Her own output of poultry and eggs was greater than her wheat output and amounted to about \$61,600,000.

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## Valuable Deposits Of Salts And Clays Are Found In Many Parts Of Saskatchewan

Looking for a short cut to India, Columbus discovered America, and scientists searching in Western Canada for potash during the world war, while they failed to find potash, found large deposits of sodium and magnesium compounds, such as sodium sulphate, sodium chloride, sodium carbonate, and magnesium sulphate.

Solid salts and brines in undrained or partially drained basins are numerous in Saskatchewan. In many cases the name "Alkali Lake" has been applied to deposits of this nature since the early spring, and often in late summer, these deposits are covered with water. They vary greatly in size, some being many acres in extent, and ranging up to 15 feet or more in thickness, with the salts generally found interbedded, or mixed, with calcareous mud and organic material. In a few instances, the deposits are in a pure enough form to be commercially marketable in their crude state. Among the deposits which have been investigated by the Federal Bureau of Mines is the deposit known as Frederic Lake, in Southern Saskatchewan, which has a hard crystalline bed averaging over four feet in depth; Corral Lake, near the western boundary of the province near the main line of the C.P.R.; Alkali Lake, near Ingonish; forty miles north of Maple Creek; Fudler deposit on the Lacoppe-Kerobert branch of the C.P.R.; the sodium chloride deposits in Seale Lake, Whitestone Lake and Mink Lake, near Dams; Saskatchewan, where Salts and Chemicals, Ltd., of Kitchener, Ontario, has erected a large plant, and is carrying on a large amount of experimentation on the recovery of the sodium sulphate salts in a commercial form.

The province of Saskatchewan excels in the quality and quantity of the class of raw refractories known as fireclays; and, in addition to this valuable material, possesses other argillaceous deposits, from which can be manufactured practically the whole range of structural clay products. Among the most important of these fields in the province is the immense deposit in the Eastern Riverbank district in the Cypress Hills, near the southwest corner of the province. South of these hills the Frenchman River has cut a deep trench in the rocks, and the resulting formation, and exposes the valuable refractory and semi-refractory clays which occur at the base of the tertiary formation. For a distance of about fifteen miles the white sand clays can be seen outcropping in the valleys, this band of white clay from 20 to 30 feet in thickness, forming a conspicuous feature of the landscape resembling in the distance great snowbanks. Investigations of government experts indicate that the quantity of raw material is practically unlimited. Some of the clays contain small concretions of iron oxide, but these are easily removed by washing, and an abundance of good clean water can be had from the Frenchman River for washing the clays. These clays in the Cypress Hills have been found to be less refractory than deposits located further west in the province, and are of the earthenware and stoneware type, highly suited to the manufacture of Rockingham, yellow ware and a wide range of stoneware, including chemical stoneware. They are favorably situated as regards water supply, transportation and fuel; a combination that makes them of great commercial importance.

Minerals is comparatively simple. Granite coal is mined for domestic consumption in the immediate vicinity, and the great semi-bituminous coal fields of Southern Alberta are approximately 200 miles by rail west of the field, while drilling for gas is in progress in the field itself. East of this field, near the southern boundary of Saskatchewan, near Knollys, a siding on the Weyburn-Manitowish branch of the C.P.R., a valuable pottery clay is found which, on chemical analysis and in laboratory tests, compares favorably with clays from Roseville, Ohio, and Coblenz, Germany. This clay works up into a nice, smooth body, well adapted to modelling or similar work, casts freely in plaster, molds and works well on a potter's wheel. It behaves well in drying, with very little warping and no checking, and the total shrinkage is low indicating that it would prove a safe material to work. This deposit is within one mile of a railway siding.

The most centrally located of the Saskatchewan pottery clays is found in the Lake of the Rivers district, approximately fifty-five miles south of Moose Jaw on the Weyburn-Assiniboia branch of the Canadian Pacific Railway. It is from these exposures at Willows, Redwin and Verwood, that

large quantities of raw clay are being shipped to Medicine Hat, where it is mixed with Eastman clay for the manufacture of pottery and sewer pipe. The majority of white clays in this district are of the ball or semi-clay class, burning a dirty white in some cases and to a cream white in others. Besides these excellent light-burning clays, there are others of the stony type as well as semi-refractories, suitable for sewer pipe, terra cotta, manhole and ordinary fire brick for stove lining. The main lignite fields of the province, where it is estimated that fifty billion metric tons of coal are available, are located near Estevan, about 115 miles by rail from Willows, but the lack of a suitable supply of water is at present a serious drawback when considering the establishment of a clay plant in this district. Scams of lignite occur within close proximity to this field, but so far these seams have only been mined for small local domestic production.

### Natural Resources Bulletin

#### Phenomenal Development of Agriculture in Western Provinces

The Natural Resources Intelligence Service of the Department of the Interior at Ottawa says:

Canada on July 1 will be fifty-seven years of age. When it is remembered that at the time of Confederation there were less than 110,000 people east of the Ontario boundary, including Manitoba, the Northwest Territories and British Columbia, the growth of the western portion of Canada has been almost phenomenal. By the census of 1921 this portion of Canada contained nearly two and one-half million people.

Greater still is the development which has taken place in agriculture in what was then the Northwest Territories. The earliest returns available, those for 1891, give the acreage devoted to wheat, oats, barley and rye in Alberta and Saskatchewan as 183,915 acres; and the total product as 2,637,742 bushels. In 1923 the acreage devoted to the four crops in the two provinces amounted to 2,535,829 with a total output of 80,782,000 bushels. In 1891 the total value of the field crops of the whole of Canada was \$194,953,426, while last year the total value of the field crops of Alberta and Saskatchewan amounted to \$414,187,000, the value of the wheat alone amounting to \$272,647.

Of the total of 144,000,000 acres of arable land in the two provinces but 31,689,273 acres was under field crops last year. What the rest of the land will mean to these provinces with the influx of population and the cultivation of greatly increased acreage, can hardly be appreciated. These figures, however, give Canadians an insight into what is taking place in Alberta and Saskatchewan in putting Canada and Saskatchewan in the position of a grain producing area and confirming the title of this country as the granary of the Empire.

#### Advices Canada To Develop Wool Output

President of British Wool Federation Says Demand is Growing

The British Empire controls 68 per cent of the world's exportable surplus wool, and South Australia 32 per cent, according to a statement made by the president of the British Wool Federation. In the course of a paper on wool supplies and wool consumption, which he read at the Empire textile conference at Wembley. In the case of merino wool, the Empire produces 85 per cent, he said.

The president urged that steps should be taken to discover what measures could be adopted to strengthen the present position by encouraging the overseas farmers, especially Canadian farmers, to increase their flocks of sheep. He contended that the sheep breeding industry undoubtedly was capable of enormous development under a campaign backed by the respective governments. He expressed the belief that if the ever-growing demand for wool for garments were not met there would be a reduction in the use of wool and increased use of substitutes.

Bookie—So y'see, if the tree starts at 15 to 1 you get 15 quid, 10 to 1 you get 10 quid, 5 to 1 you get 5 quid. The innocent—Oh, yes, I see, perfectly. But what do I get if the horse starts at one o'clock exactly?

From Constantinople comes these alarming figures: "Marriages, 7,000; divorces, 8,000." These are the net results of the Empire of Constantinople for the present year.

England and America have been polo rivals since 1886.

### Why Trees Make Prairie Crops Flourish

Prevent Evaporation and Soil Drifting On the Farm

It is impossible to over-estimate the importance of the shelter belt as a factor in building up the west. It can be said without exaggeration that the future of the prairie country depends for its prosperity upon it to a very large extent. Growth on the prairie depends on moisture and in dry sections it is the water kept that counts and not what is precipitated on the soil. A large amount of what falls in the form of snow and on the bare prairie most of this snow is blown away into gullies and thereby lost. Trees planted with proper design about the farm decrease the evaporation that results from summer winds from 25 to 60 per cent. This beneficial effect is not deferred until the trees of the shelter belt have attained large size, for a tree of one foot in height protects at least 50 feet of valuable crops from being blown away and in some instances the proportion is as high as one foot to 50. Every one who lives in the west knows the disastrous effect on tender crops of a 20 or 30 mile wind, but the west farmer who has tried out the shelter belt on his land knows that he needn't worry for in the section of the country that is free planted the hurricane is displaced by winds of a normal velocity. The tremendous bearing of winds on agriculture is shown by the calculations of an expert that the loss from soil drift in Saskatchewan was alone in 1921 amounted to the vast figure of \$10,000,000, a loss that would have been prevented had the depleted districts been protected by shelter belts. In 1920 a certain railway cutting in Alberta was blown full of "clams" and it took three days to dig it out again at the rate of 100 clams a day. The financial loss to agriculture caused by the holding up of all trains during those three summer days could only be calculated in many thousands of dollars.

#### Broadcasting For Farm Help

Radio has been used by the immigration authorities to place farm laborers in work. The Winnipeg immigration office recently wired Saskatchewan and from there the message was broadcast, stating 300 experienced farm help wanted work. Within 24 hours replies poured in and the men were sent out.

#### Checking Up On Cream Separator

Many Farmers Lose By Using Improperly Adjusted Machine. A recent report from the western dairy division cites an example of ten farmers producing 25,762 lbs. of milk in a month and sustaining, through inefficient separation, a loss amounting to 308 lbs. of fat. This fat was figured to be worth 46 cents a lb., or \$141.65 for the month. This loss is unnecessary, for a good separator, properly used, should get practically all the fat out of the milk. It is certainly worth while to have the skim milk tested occasionally to see how much fat is being lost in it. A poor separator is a liability every day it is used. Where fat is constantly being lost a new separator of the right kind will soon pay for itself by preventing this loss. It certainly would not take long for one of these farmers mentioned above to pay for a good cream separator. Unfortunately there is a great deal of butter-fat being wasted by worn-out, inferior or improperly adjusted cream separators.

### Large Acreage Signed Up

Great Volume of Wheat Will Pass Through Provincial Pools

The 1921 crop from between 10,000,000 to 11,000,000 acres of western lands will be sold through co-operative pools.

The Alberta pool has been operating for the past season under five-year contracts. The Manitoba pool is now actually with 750,000 acres signed up, and a campaign under way which is expected to bring the acreage to 1,000,000. Both Manitoba and Saskatchewan will be organized to handle this year's crop.

Contract holders in Saskatchewan and Manitoba pools will meet early in the summer to replace, by permanent boards of directors, the present interim managements. When this is done the boards of the three provincial pools will meet to discuss the possibility of organizing a joint, co-ordinating agency to handle the marketing of the great volume of wheat which will pass through the three organizations. This was the plan which found favor at the farmers' conventions last winter, provincial pools, managed by the contract holders, selling through a common agency. It was claimed that such a system would prevent overlapping of efforts and produce economy in administration.

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## Literary And Artistic Exhibits Being Staged By Canada At British Empire Exposition

Canada is staging at the British Empire Exhibition in London this summer a most adequate and complete representation of Canadian life with the object of picturing Canada, Canadian life and Dominion's expression for the people of other lands. In its thoroughness and comprehensibility it is hoped to portray in figurative manner, in the fullest possible way, the many productive activities of the Dominion and their wide scope. In striving to attain a concise representation of Canadian life that will be a complete and adequate expression of the extended life-endavours into novel channels.

Canada in the past, concerned primarily with settling her agricultural lands and rendering them productive, with exploiting her wealth of natural resources, with securing the manpower to bring these things about, has made her appeal a purely material one. Her exhibits to the people of other countries have consisted of the beautiful product of the wheat field, of the forest and mine, of fishery and fur-rich hinterland. Whilst the outstanding necessity was to bring to general attention this vast natural wealth in order that it might be utilized, this may have at times tended to create the impression of the Dominion as a mere storehouse of raw products, where man might accumulate wealth, but only at the sacrifice of the amenities of life.

In the appeal Canada is making to people of all countries, all classes and all kinds to come and make their homes in her Dominion, it has come to be realized that there are other phases of Dominion life about which they want to know. Often environment, culture, the spiritual things of life, means a great deal more to a man than the mere aggregation of wealth, and settlers wish to know if in bettering themselves in one respect they are to suffer in another. There is too general an impression that Canada is a raw, undeveloped, material land where life is lacking in culture and the finer elements and where man must find his sole satisfaction in material ends.

Those who know Canada appreciate the fact that the Dominion possesses a real and distinctive art and literature, which, though it has suffered, and still does, from many severe handicaps of a peculiar nature, is nevertheless flourishing. They appreciate that life in Canada has its fine and cultured side, and that in the various arts a worthy and solid foundation has been laid upon which may be developed the artistic expression of a great and populous nation, such as Canada expects to be. For the first time this is to be brought to the attention of other peoples through exhibits.

Two unique branches of Canada's exhibits in London are in Canadian art and literature. Collections of paintings have been gathered together by Canadian authorities and will be on view. The only difficulty experienced in making up these exhibits was in confining them within the limitations of space offered.

Canada's natural beauty is so varied and unexcelled it has furnished subjects for a myriad paintings. Only the best and most representative could be chosen to acquaint the people of other countries with other and less appreciated phases of Canadian national existence.

The demonstration of Canadian literary achievement which will be made at the British Empire Exhibition may be traced very directly to the activities of the Canadian Authors Association. It was the Canadian Authors Association which brought to the attention of the government the need of such an exhibit and it was the machinery afforded by the association which the government utilized in collecting the exhibit. The old adage "In Union Is Strength" is therefore again demonstrated in the experience of the Canadian authors. Indeed, before they were organized some three years ago, no one would have guessed that such an organization would in so short a time have attained a membership of nearly 900, representing all parts of Canada from Atlantic to Pacific.

Canada's brief history has been replete with historic and romantic episode and has provided a host of material for the pens of her own literary men.

### Alberta Oil Fields

Province Contains 80,000 Acres of Potential Oil Territory

That oil exists in Alberta in commercial quantities and that it is only a matter of discovering it, was the statement made by Prof. John A. Allen, geologist of the University of Alberta. He said that oil operations in Alberta were still only in the prospecting stage. Altogether in this province there were, he stated, about 80,000 acres of potential oil territory which had to be investigated in order to be proved otherwise. The principal fields which are being examined now are at Okotoks, Ponca Coupe, Grande Prairie, Birch Lake and the Irma, Kabyan and Wainwright districts.

### Population of the Orient

In mystic India, cradle of the white race, it is not of old races, 20,000 natives are sweltering in the hot sun, building the world's largest dam. It'll be a mile long, to cost \$60,000,000. That's a huge sum, especially in the Orient. And yet in China, where wages average eighteen cents an hour now, \$60,000,000 would buy the labor of the entire Chinese population for only one hour. The Orient's ocean of humanity is, to a white brain, unfathomable in depth. When its hundreds of millions awaken and adopt our ways, our descendants are going to have their hands full, competing.

### Ireland Lacks Statistics

Dr. Oldham, professor of economics in the National University, Dublin, describes the state of public statistics in the Free State as "probably worse than in any civilized country in Europe." There has been no census of production since 1908, no census of population, housing and occupations since 1911, no detailed report on agricultural statistics since 1917, and no statistics of external trade for any year later than 1921.

### Oats For New Zealand

For the first time in the history of Vancouver's grain export business, New Zealand has been buying Canadian oats. The New Zealand crop having been light last season. About 100,000 bushels have gone forward, 200,000 bushels are definitely booked for shipment and another 300,000 25,000 bushels of wheat, cleaned and bushels are reported to have been closed. The oats are being used for seedling purposes.

## Rockies Trail Riders Organize



Trail riders of the Canadian Rockies are now about to be established on a permanent basis and with a view of interesting individuals in the association letters are now being sent out by J. M. Gibbon, Montreal, honorary secretary to the organizing committee.

The letter explains that early in July last a party of trail riders, was encamped on the plateau which lies between Tumbling Creek Glacier and the Cap in the Vermilion Range of the Canadian Rockies known as the Wolfville Pass. On Sunday following the map after luncheon one of the party was struck with the idea of the foundation of a new order to be called the Trail Riders of the Canadian Rockies and when he propounded his plan the camping scheme was enthusiastically endorsed.

As a result of correspondence and interviews a strong committee was appointed and the whole matter will be thoroughly discussed at the first annual camp which will be held in the Yoho Valley, opposite Takahaw

before the opening of the Alpine Club of Canada camp.

The post of honorary president has been accepted by Dr. Charles D. Walcott, secretary of the Smithsonian Institute, Washington, who has spent over thirty summers measuring glaciers and studying the geology of the Canadian Rockies.

Members of the organizing committee include Colonel W. W. Foster, Vancouver, president of the Alpine Club of Canada; Colonel Phil A. McEwan, H. B. C. Club, president of the Rand McNally and Co.; Chicago; Tom Wilson, Enderby, B.C., a well-known oil timer; A. O. Seymour, Montreal; and many other prominent sportsmen and alpinists.

The aims of the order are: "To encourage travel on horseback through the Canadian Rockies; to foster the maintenance and improvement of old trails and the building of new trails; to advocate and practice consideration for horses, and to promote

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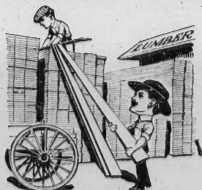
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ALBERTA IS CUT INTO SIXTEEN  
RIDINGS FOR FEDERAL PAR-  
LIAMENT

Ottawa, 16th.—Information is now  
available as to the names of the new  
constituencies under distribution in the  
four western provinces.

In Manitoba, St. Boniface is cre-  
ated as a new riding, while Winnipeg is  
divided into North Winnipeg, North  
Center Winnipeg, South Winnipeg,  
and South Center Winnipeg. The  
names of the other constituencies re-  
main unchanged.

In Saskatchewan the constituency of  
Saltcoats disappears, while there are  
added: Long Lake, Melfort, Melville,  
Rosetown, Willowbunch, and Yorkton.  
In Alberta, Strathcona and Victoria  
are dropped and the riding will be as  
follows:

Acadia—Which will be the northern  
part of the riding of Medicine Hat  
and portions of other ridings.

Athabasca—Taken from East and  
West Edmonton to the northeast of  
Edmonton.

Battle River—With the same name  
and much the same centre as the pre-  
sent riding.

Bow River—The new constituency  
of this name will be slightly changed  
from the old constituency.

Calgary East—Slight change from  
the present constituency.

Calgary West—Slight change from  
the present constituency.

Camrose—Will take the heart of the  
present Victoria riding, which dis-  
appears.

Edmonton East and Edmonton West  
are greatly changed. They will in-  
clude all of the city, taking in the ur-  
ban part of all Strathcona riding.

Lethbridge—Much like the present  
constituency.

Macleod—Much like the present con-  
stituency.

Medicine Hat—Considerably reduced  
from present constituency.

Peace River—A new riding taken  
almost entirely out of West Edmon-  
ton.

Red Deer—Somewhat similar to the  
present constituency.

Vegreville—A new riding made up  
mostly of East Edmonton and part of  
Battle River and Victoria.

Wetaskiwin—Made up mostly of  
rural part of old Strathcona riding.

MORTGAGE SALE OF  
FARM PROPERTY

By virtue of the Powers of Sale  
provided by "The Land Titles Act"  
there will be offered for sale by pub-  
lic auction at the Post Office in the  
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SATURDAY, AUGUST 9th, 1924

At 2:30 p.m.

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"A. T. Kinnaird" Dep. Registrar 10-12

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Notice is hereby given under Sec.  
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Stallion was impounded in the pound  
kept by J. N. Carrington located on  
the S. E. 28-46-8-W. on Wednes-  
day the 18th day of June, 1924, and  
that said animals were sold on the  
30th day of June, 1924 to J. U. Allen  
of Irma, Alberta, and that said ani-  
mals may be redeemed by the owner  
thirty days from the publication of  
this notice in The Alberta Gazette, up-  
on payment of all fees and costs due  
to the municipality and the purchaser  
of said animal.

For information apply to the under-  
signed.

R. J. TATE, Sec. Treas.  
M. D. of Battle River No. 423, Irma,  
Alberta.

## WANT ADS.

WANTS TO TRADE—Two Big  
Geldings for breaking.—Bert Clelland,  
Irma. 8-11-c.

## Viking

This community was shocked and  
saddened last Saturday, July 12th, to  
hear of the untimely and sudden death  
of William Barnes, only son of Mr.  
and Mrs. James Barnes, of the Mance  
district. Death was caused by internal  
hemorrhage due to being kicked in  
the stomach by a horse. The young  
man was chasing a couple of horses  
into the barn when while close behind  
one of them, the dog came up and  
barked at one of the horses that kicked,  
the hoof striking the boy in the  
stomach.

Medical aid was at once summoned,  
and Dr. Little made the utmost haste  
out to the farm about ten miles south-  
west of town, but the effects of the  
kick were so severe that the young  
man's life could not be spared and he  
passed away about three hours after  
the distressing and fatal accident.

On Friday evening last, the Wain-  
wright and Viking nines met on the  
local diamond in friendly combat and  
after seven innings of loose ball—es-  
pecially on the part of the locals—  
Viking marched off victorious by a  
score of 10-5.

Lepper who started off on the  
mound for the home team went well  
for three innings and then his offer-  
ings were taken kindly to by the op-  
ponents with the result that runs came  
in thick and fast. He was replaced in  
the fourth by Murray, who kept the  
game well in hand for the remainder  
of the time.

Haskin started the game for Viking  
and although his work was hit hard by  
the locals, he received good support.  
He was displaced by Gravert in the  
fourth spasm, who sure had a merry  
time in the seventh frame when the  
locals notched three runs.—Wain-  
wright Star.

The Viking ball team lost to To-  
field in the first game of the tourna-  
ment at Ryley last Wednesday, by the  
score of 7 to 2. All of Tofield's scores  
came in the second inning when a  
costly fielding error with two men  
out started the balloon going. Monte  
pitched a swell game for Viking with  
Ross on the receiving end. Monte av-  
eraged two strike outs per inning and  
it was a tough game to lose. Tofield  
trimmed Ryley 10 to 0 in the final.

Mrs. L. R. Dayton left Monday  
morning for Revelstoke, B. C. where  
she will visit her daughters, Mrs. J.  
G. Carlson and Mrs. S. L. Anderson.  
She also expects to visit her son in  
Vancouver before her return.

Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Goodwin and  
children motored to Edmonton Monday  
evening where they will spend a few  
days at the fair.

It seems that all you have to do to  
get rain is to put on a sports day in  
Viking. The baseball tournament is  
the third event of its kind spoiled by  
rain in town this year. We should  
worry.

The band expects to leave Tuesday  
next for Saskatoon where they are en-  
tered in the band competition. About  
twenty members and the bandmaster  
have signified their intention of mak-  
ing the trip.

Manager Runyon has entered the  
ball team in the tournament at the  
Camrose Fair, July 24, 25, and 26.  
A total of \$1,000.00 in prizes for base-  
ball has been put up by the fair man-  
agement.

Art Horton and Forrest Long played  
with Unity against Wilkie last Sat-  
urday. Wilkie won the game six to  
five which went eleven innings.

A rain started to fall at noon today  
which augurs well for the district. It  
is a rain which has been looked for  
a long time.

Mrs. C. G. Purvis has returned from  
a month's visit with relatives and  
friends at New Westminster, B. C.  
and other coast points.

Miss Jessie Hotson left for Vanco-  
ver this week where she has accepted  
a position in the public library in that  
city.

Need of rain is growing more ap-  
parent each day. While some fields  
are still holding out remarkably well,  
there are parts of the district that are  
almost dried out. To say the least  
we need rain and need it quick in order  
to have any sort of a crop.

## BIRCH LAKE

The last meeting of the U. F. W. A.  
was held at Mrs. C. P. Young's. The  
roll call was answered with sugges-  
tions for school lunches. Plans were  
made for the sports on July 1st which  
were a decided success. A large crowd  
gathered in spite of the heat. Over  
one hundred dollars were cleared  
which goes to show that people are  
anxious to help the U. F. A. as much  
as possible.

Mr. Wilbert Young goes from this  
district to the school of agriculture at  
Oils, this week.

A farewell party was given Miss  
McIntosh on the last day of school.  
The parents and friends gathered at  
the school house and spent a social  
hour and a delicious lunch was served.  
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GILLETTS LYE,	3 Tins for 50c
WHITE SOAP FLAKES IN BULK	20c lb.
RAISINS, IN BULK	3 lbs. for 50c
BULK DATES,	2 lbs. 25c
FANCY MIXED BISCUITS,	40c lb.
LEMONS, LARGE SIZE,	40c Doz.
ORANGES, Medium Size	35c Doz.
GOOD BULK TEA,	Per Lb. 65c
"Try a Lb."	
LARSEN'S TEA,	Per Lb. 70c
(Delicious Flavor, Abundant Strength.)	
RED ROSE TEA,	Per Lb. 70c
BLUE RIBBON, & NABOB TEA	75c Lb.
COFFEE—Ground Fresh Daily	3 lbs. \$1.00
McGAVINS & WAINWRIGHT BREAD, 10c Loaf	(Always Fresh)
FANCY JAP RICE	10c lb.
SIAM RICE,	3 lbs. for 25c
ROLLED OATS, Tubes	25c
GLENORA FLOUR,	98's \$3.40

## Main Street

Guy Jackson and family motored to Edmonton the first of the week.

Don't forget to call at the Drug Store for your telephone directory.

Mrs. R. Curfman of Edmonton has been visiting friends in the Irma district.

Mrs. Dean Archibald of Three Hills has been spending a week with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Renwick.

Mr. A. E. Drew left Thursday for a trip to Mirror where we understand he is thinking of taking charge of an elevator this fall.

Miss Gladys Archibald of Swallow has been visiting at the Renwick and Archibald farms.

Mr. and Mrs. F. Mapley and family of Pontiac, Michigan, are visiting J. H. Elliott and family.

Mr. J. B. Horn and family are spending the summer on the Ryley farm south of Irma.

Miss W. E. Walker and Miss E. Walker returned to Irma Tuesday night after spending several months in Edmonton.

Mr. J. R. Sibbald of the Cunard Steamship Line was in Irma Thursday looking up business for the Cunard Line of steamers.

Both of the elevators at Irma are closed on account of the managers taking their holidays. Pryce Jones left with his family for a trip by motor to Edmonton Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Elford accompanied by Miss Taylor and Miss Graham left the first of the week for a trip by motor to Banff and intermediate points.

The Irma Motors have installed a new free air hose in front of the Garage. This will be a big convenience to the many motorists needing their tires inflated.

Mr. Chas. W. Harris, organizer for the Farmers Union of Canada gave a lecture in Larson's Hall last Friday night. Some thirty farmers were in attendance and appeared to appreciate the address given. We understand a branch of the Farmers Union was organized after the meeting.

Thursday afternoon the Irma district was visited by one of the finest showers we have had for some time. Some of the farmers had begun to think that the weather man had exerted all his efforts to wet the crowds at the Edmonton Fair as none of the rain that fell in the Edmonton district the earlier part of the week reached here. As most of the grain is in the short blade the rain came at an important time. With another shower or two the farmers should be assured of at least an average crop.

In the neighborhood of fifty tickets were sold at the local station for Edmonton this week. Among those taking in the big fair were, Mr. and Mrs. R. McFarland, T. A. Ledlin, J. H. and W. Elliott, H. Kestin, T. Funston, Mr. and Mrs. Prior, Mr. Asquin, W. McEln and family, L. C. Hatch and Douglas, W. Matthews and sister, B. Deveney, Mrs. G. A. Slason and family, Misses Maud and Anna Walker.

The residents of the Silver Lane district held a successful picnic Wednesday afternoon when all the settlers of the district had a chance to have a good time. Among the sports was a baseball game between Irma and Silver Lane boys which resulted in a score of 15 for Irma and 14 for Silver Lane. After supper Hardisty and Silver Lane boys played a football game in which Silver Lane captured the money beating Hardisty 2 to 0. The Silver Lane team was assisted by boys from Irma. The picnic ended with a dance in the local school.

## MRS. A. C. ARCHIBALD PASSES AWAY

The Alma Mater district was saddened last Friday evening by the news of the death of Mrs. A. C. Archibald who succumbed to the dread disease "tuberculosis". The deceased, who at the time of her death was in her 23rd year had been a resident of the Irma district for some 15 years and was well known to all the old timers of the district. Till a short time before her death, she had been living with her husband on their farm north of Irma, but after she became too weak to get around she was taken to the home of her parents Mr. and Mrs. W. Renwick where she was when the end came.

Besides her husband and two small boys, one aged eighteen months and the other two and a half years she leaves a sorrowing Mother, Father, and two sisters Gladys and Violet and two brothers Lloyd and Clarence.

The funeral was held from the home of her parents Sunday afternoon when one of the largest crowds that has been assembled in the district for many a day met to pay their last respects. After a very appropriate service at the home by Rev. G. Elliott, some twenty seven automobiles and twenty-two buggies filled with sympathizing friends and relatives followed the remains to their last resting place in the Irma Cemetery. The following young men acted as pallbearers, A. Barrett, E. Goodale, F. Prosser, Jas. Kennedy, E. Ray and L. Quitten-ton.

## CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank our many friends and neighbors for their kind help and sympathy in our recent bereavement. Mr. and Mrs. W. Renwick & family

## ATTENTION! Ladies!

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On Sale at a Big Reduction Only ..... \$1.95

This assortment includes hats priced from \$2.95 to \$6.95. Your choice now at ..... \$1.95

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**SILK LISLE HOSE**  
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#### Have Isolated Vitamin

American Chemical Society Praises  
Work of Dr. Eddy and  
Co-Workers

Views of prominent medical investigators who were asked to comment on the significance of the work of Dr. Eddy and his associates may be crystallized as follows, according to the statement of the American Chemical Society.

"This problem has been occupying the minds of many biological chemists throughout the world, so that Dr. Eddy and his colleagues deserve the greatest credit for the successful outcome of their work."

Dr. Eddy and co-workers have done a splendid piece of work. They have secured in crystalline form a substance which has baffled all the investigators of the world, which is no small feat from a chemical point of view.

"They have definitely shown the existence of a substance necessary to the life of the yeast organism whose chemical entity is perfectly definite and thus lead one to believe that the so-called vitamins are definite chemical individuals."

"Finally they have developed a method which gives us grounds to hope that the vitamin necessary to human nutrition may be identified and isolated, and which renders probable the actual synthesis of these compounds at some future time. The bearing which this may have on the future of our race cannot even be guessed yet."

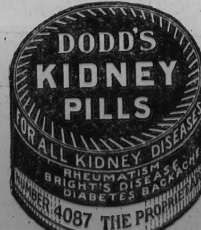
#### Training Quaker Quartet

Every woodpecker is a born musician. Says "Doc" Wilkinson, of O'Neill, Neb., who has organized a woodpecker quartette and is contemplating a tour of the eastern chautauqua circuit. His feathered musicians learn readily to play any new air or tune on four sonorous wooden tubes, he says.

After 10 Years of Asthma Dr. J. D. Kellogg's Asthma Remedy proved the only relief for one grateful user, and this is but one case among many. Little wonder that it has now become the one recognized remedy on the market. It has earned its fame by its never failing effectiveness. It is earning it to-day, as it has done for years. It is the greatest asthma specific within the reach of suffering humanity.

#### Highest Building in Empire

Workmen have pulled down the newest building ever destroyed in Toronto to give place to the highest building in the British Empire. The building destroyed is the Lands Securities Building, to be replaced by a new 22 story skyscraper with the possibility of the new structure being even as high as 24 stories.



W. N. U. 1530

### WORLD HAPPENINGS BRIEFLY TOLD

S. A. Saunders, of Moose Jaw, Sask., was one of the thirteen graduates of the Halifax School for the Blind, who received their diplomas June 17.

The Constitutional Committee of the Stirling will report favorably on changing the name of the Norwegian capital from Christiania to "Oslo," says the newspaper, *Nationen*.

A microphone by which a fly may be heard walking is one of the scientific wonders that has attracted much attention at the British Empire Exhibition, Wembley.

Twenty persons, mostly women and children, were drowned when the Norwegian mail steamer *Hakon Jar* sank after a collision with the steamer *King Harald*.

The number of Canadians returning through Bridgburg, Ont., after a considerable absence in the United States, is averaging between 500 and 1,000 a month. Most of them are artists.

A mud-covered touring car loaded with 25 pounds of registered mail believed to be a part of the loot of the \$500,000 robbery at Rondon, Ill., was found on a farm south of Joliet, Ill.

A family party, numbering 377 met recently at the home of Bernard Verley, Lille, France, who, with his wife and 19 children, acted as hosts to the relatives. They are the descendants of Claude Bernard, who was married 22 years ago.

Viccount Grey of Fallodon, in an address at Oxford to Rhodes Scholars, said Britain must take early steps in Egypt to decide whether she would "go ahead or get out" in the historic words of Roosevelt, whom he compared to Cecil Rhodes.

### Pine Air is Good For Catarrh, Colds

Dwellers in pine forests never have colds, never know the meaning of Catarrh. This is the reason. Pine "CATARRHOZONE," which sends into the lungs and nostrils the healing balsams and soothing antiseptic of the pine forest.

The health-giving vapor of "CATARRHOZONE" subdues the worst of colds, croup and catarrh. The tiniest corners of the lungs are treated, the innermost parts of the throat that so often are infected in the nose and throat is bathed in the antiseptic balsam of CATARRHOZONE. It is so sure, so effective, so sure to stop coughing, so effective to soothe sore throats or bronchitis—try it yourself.

Complete two months' treatment guaranteed, price, \$1.00, small trial size six. At all druggists. Refuse a substitute for CATARRHOZONE. By mail from The Catarrhozone Co., Montreal.

### Judges Speak English Only

None of the nine new judges appointed to the Dublin High Court are able to speak Gaelic, the official language of the courts, according to the *Daily Mail*, which believes the attempt being made to give the official language its place in the courts is doomed to failure.

The use of Miller's Worm Powders restores healthy children so far as the ailments attributable to worms are concerned. A high mortality among children is traceable to worms. These sap the strength of infants so that they are unable to maintain the battle for life and succumb to weakness. This preparation gives promise of health and keeps it.

### B.C. Agriculture

Agriculture, production in British Columbia during 1923 had a total value of \$59,159,798, an increase of nearly \$4,000,000 over the previous year, according to a statement issued by the Provincial Department of Agriculture. Dairy products accounted for \$9,251,576 of the total. Fruit production was valued at \$6,034,976, while vegetables were worth \$5,553,626. Fodder and grain crops accounted for the balance.

For Burns and Scalds.—Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil will take the fire out of a burn or scald. It should be at hand in every kitchen so that it may be available at any time. There is no preparation required. Just apply the oil to the burn or scald, and the pain will abate and in a short time cease altogether.

### Australian Boys to Visit Toronto

A party of fifty Australian boys will be the guests of the Canadian National Exhibition from August 26 to September 2. The youngsters are public school boys from all parts of Australia, and their visit to Toronto will be made on their way home from the British Empire Exhibition at Wembley.

According to an authority, British children are becoming more healthy every year. Eighty to ninety per cent, he claims, are born healthy and with power to lead normal and healthy lives.

Minard's Liniment for Aches and Pains

### A Marketing Expert

A. P. McLean, New General Manager of Saskatchewan Co-operative Creameries

The choosing of a new general manager for the Saskatchewan Co-operative Creameries, Ltd., is a matter of importance to everyone interested in co-operative movements and marketing in Western Canada, and of very special interest to all engaged in the production of cream or the manufacture of creamery butter.

The Saskatchewan Co-operative Creameries, Ltd., is one of the largest co-operative movements to far undertaken in Western Canada, and its ultimate success or failure will have a very marked reaction in the development of co-operative marketing, which is felt by all who study farm problems with impartial eyes, to be the best hope of the farmers, not only of Western Canada, but of the world.

The man who has finally been selected to undertake the somewhat arduous task of managing this organization, which admittedly has not been successful in its marketing undertakings in the past, is A. P. McLean, who has for the past ten years been a resident of Winnipeg, as manager for the Canadian Packing Co., Ltd., and who has been in the employ of that company for 29 years.

Mr. McLean has many qualifications for his new position, but his present employers and his confidants in the trade all credit him with very special abilities along marketing lines, which will assuredly be a great asset in his new position.

While keeping closely in touch with marketing conditions, and possibly because that close touch, he has interested himself actively in those schemes which have tended to give to the three prairie provinces their present enviable position in the production of high-class creamery butter, namely the grading of cream, the government grading of butter and the establishment of a uniform grade of butter for the three western provinces.

With regard to the grading of cream, Mr. McLean's stand has been that not only is it essential in the production of high-class creamery butter, but it is the only means by which the producer, who is careful and particular about his cream, giving time and thought to producing the best, can receive the just reward of his efforts.

Mr. McLean is also a strong believer in the establishment of a top grade of Canadian butter for export, a grade that shall be so only entitled to bear the word "Canada" or "Canadian," and of the rigid inspection of butter, cheese and eggs, so that the word "Canada" or "Canadian" on these products shall become as sure an indication of uniform excellence as "Mantoba No. 1" hard wheat. —Mantoba Free Press.

### Traffic On Canadian Railways

Improved General Business Conditions In Canada Are Indicated

Canadian railways have been having better traffic conditions than in 1923, states a special article appearing in some Canadian newspapers. The figures with regard to carloadings in Canada since the commencement of the year show what has been happening. They are as follows:

	1923	1924
January	190,977	185,982
February	175,557	204,953
March	225,269	253,349
April	205,529	209,959
May	165,926	110,125

The figures for May are for the first two weeks. It will be seen, however, that the total number of loaded cars moved thus far this year has been 86,679 more than for the corresponding period of 1923. This represents a betterment of almost 10 per cent, and may be taken without question as indicating improvement in general business conditions to that extent.

While the gains during 1924 have been chiefly in the east, traffic has been remarkably steady in the west. There were slight increases in carloadings during April and May, for the most part caused by a larger movement of grain. This would seem to indicate that the wheat hold in reserve after the close of navigation in December last has been finding its way out for export.

### Oil Refinery at Lethbridge

The plant of the Standard Refinery Co., Limited, at Lethbridge, has now been completed and put in operation. They are manufacturing gasoline, kerosene distillate and fuel oil and have a capacity of 300 barrels a day. This is a local enterprise and the raw supplies are being imported from the Montana field.

### Swiss Settlement in Alberta

A Swiss settlement has been started near Calgary. In Southern Alberta. The newcomers are already on the land and are considered a fine type of immigrants.

China's unused resources are said to be similar to those of the United States 100 years ago.

### Russia Claims Strongest Man

Hammers Nails Through Two-Inch Plank With Bare Hands

Who is the strongest man on earth? The title has been claimed by many Herculean giants, including Louis Cyr, the French Canadian; Sampson, the Yorksbroughman; Sandow, the Apollo; Ajax, the Vancouvert; Launceston, the Scot; and George Hackenschmidt.

Now Alexander Zaas, a Russian, from Vilna, is asserted to be the champion.

Zaas, who is 5 ft. 11 in. in height, possesses a moderately thick chest, rather waist, and short, sturdy, unshapely legs. His specialty is breaking chins. What he revels in is making curly letters of the alphabet out of half-inch thick strands of iron.

His piece de resistance is to lie on a cushion of nails (business end up) while a huge block of stone is lowered on his "tummy." In case the nails do not do their duty, much more along with sledge hammers and the more or less earnestly on the stone till splinters fly. Hammering a nail through a two-inch plank with his bare hands is another of his feats.

There is a Russian named Brat, now in New York, who does these feats as well as any man. He also claims to be the "strongest man on earth."

The United States now owns about one-quarter of all the volcanoes in the world. There are about 17 active volcanoes, and the United States possesses besides hundreds of smoking peaks.

### VICTIMS OF ANAEMIA

Need New, Rich Blood to Restore Health and Vigor

It is an unfortunate fact that nine women out of every ten are victims of weakness in one form or another. The girl in her teens, the wife and mother, the matron of middle age—all know its misdeeds. To be anaemic means that you are, besides, almost, almost exhausted. You feel worn out and depressed. You turn against food and often cannot digest what you do eat. Sleep does not refresh you, and when you get up you feel exhausted and unfit for the day's duties. If you are a victim of anaemia you need a cure.

You should act promptly. Make good your blood, and you will be well. Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, the most reliable blood purifier ever discovered. These pills purify, build blood, strengthen weak blood, and they make good blood, and as the condition of your blood improves you will regain proper strength and energy. Life fully as every girl and woman should do.

The case of Mrs. Mary Trahan, Perth, Ontario, is a case of this kind. She says: "I had not been feeling well for some time and had been gradually growing weaker. I found it very hard to do my housework; had severe headaches and was very nervous. I took doctor's medicine for some time, but it did me no good. I was growing weaker and used to faint and take dizzy spells. In this condition I began the use of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, and after a time found they were doing me good. I continued their use until I found the troubles that afflicted me had gone and I am once more enjoying good health and strength."

You can get Dr. Williams' Pink Pills through any dealer in medicine, or by mail at 50c a box from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

A visitor to the Wembley Exhibition taking the four main buildings alone and merely walking through them, giving each exhibit a casual glance, would by the time he had passed them all in review have covered some eight or nine miles.

Vilhjalmur Stefansson, the Arctic explorer, has embarked on a new expedition. This time into the wilds of Australia. Mr. Stefansson believes may be populated with settlers.

The King of Italy recently opened the second largest dam in the world, the Tiroso Dam in the island of Sardinia.

The total length of the wall is 732 feet, and there are 18 buttresses, the central ones being 228 feet high.

The water is supplied by the River Tiroso, and the artificial lake formed by the dam is over 16 miles long, and contains over 30,000 million gallons of water. This makes it the second largest dam in the world, the largest being the Assuan Dam on the Nile.

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In addition to this, the water will irrigate nearly 100,000 acres of grain-bearing land.

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## DONALD KIRKE GIVES TANLAC FULL CREDIT

Popular Actor Says Medicine Completely Overcame Stomach Trouble And Nervousness.



That Montreal play-actors are literally packing their Orpheum Theatre at every performance is at once a tribute to the high standard of the entertainment offered and to the finished artistry of the famous Duffy stock players, not the least popular of whom is Donald Kirke.

Mr. Kirke is not only a favorite on the legitimate stage but in a screen player of note, and it is a further tribute to his consummate acting that, even while tortured with stomach trouble, nervousness and other ills, he kept "on with the play" day in and day out until he found relief by taking "TANLAC." As he says:

"My stomach had almost failed me and I wonder now how I ever kept up. I am so little. Nights I would toss and turn for hours in nervousness; piercing sick headaches made me suffer agony, and at times on the stage I was so nervous, weak and tremulous that I could hardly remember my lines."

"I would have given a thousand dollars to get the relief TANLAC has given me for less than five dollars. My appetite was never better. I eat every-

thing and have gained 12 pounds. I'm never a bit weak or nervous, never have a headache, and I feel fine and dandy. I will gladly confirm these facts by phone or letter."

Tanlac is for sale by all good druggists. Accept no substitute. Over 40 million bottles sold.

Tanlac Vegetable Pills For Constipation. Made and Recommended by the Manufacturers of Tanlac.

### Deep Waterway Project

Should Prove to be a Big Factor in Development of the West

Word-comes from Ottawa that the report of the Canadian committee appointed by the government to further investigate the St. Lawrence-Great Lakes deep waterway project, will be ready within a very few months. The government has followed a safe course, says the Ottawa Citizen, and the premier has succeeded in enlisting the services of some Canadians of outstanding ability. Although there is already a very elaborate international commission's report, an unequivocally favorable to the improvement that will permit ocean tramp vessels to sail through from the Atlantic to the head of the Great Lakes, there has been practically no adverse criticism of the government's action in appointing a further investigating body. It is affirmed in some quarters that the St. Lawrence deepened waterway will eventually prove to be as important as the C.P.R. in the commercial development of Canada.

One thing sure it will be by long odds the greatest economic boon conceivable to the west, where it will enable the farmers to save upwards of fifty million dollars a year on transportation costs. It will cut out the exorbitant cost of rail shipments from Georgian Bay ports and Buffalo to the ports of Montreal and New York, and give through water transportation to Europe from Port William and Port Arthur.

The financing of the project will be taken care of in its entirety through the development of hydro-electric energy, for which there is such an urgent demand in Ontario at the present time. Canada, and especially Western Canada, will need come to a truly prosperous state of growth and development until the enormous advantages of the deepened waterway are realized.—Swift Current Herald.

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### Beam Wireless a Success

Marconi Reports Conversation From Cornwall to Buenos Aires

Using for the first time telephonically the radio beam system through which the wireless waves are thrown in a particular direction, William Marconi, inventor of the wireless telegraph, is reported to have spoken from the Polhu station in Cornwall to Buenos Aires. The accounts state also that Dr. Thomas Lebrun, Argentine minister of agriculture, who is visiting in England, spoke to War Minister Justo, and that subsequent cable messages from Buenos Aires said Dr. Lebrun's voice was heard there.

Canada takes a foremost place among the countries sending out foreign workers for the W.V.C.A. The United States has the greatest membership, with Germany following and the Scandinavian countries coming third.

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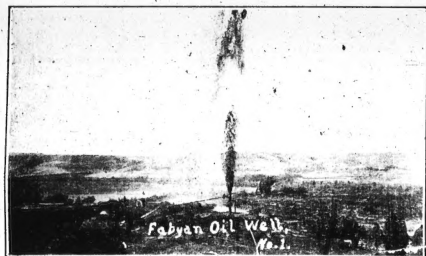
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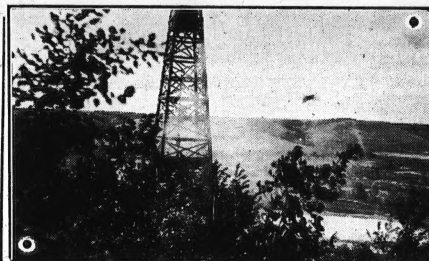
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### Local Red Poll Cattle in Demand

Mr. J. H. & W. E. Elliott, local breeders of Red Polled Cattle report conditions good in their livestock business. They having sold 9 bulls during the last 7 months, 6 in Alberta and 3 in Saskatchewan, which realized them a nice sum of \$1,100.00. In their opinion the popularity of the Red Polled cattle is gaining favor among the farmers who want dual purpose cows, as they are realizing more and more the advantages gained from keeping the dual purpose cows, especially "Red Polls."

They are good dairy cows. Burn's travelling agent for the local creamery made the statement that he didn't realize till lately that they were so good dairy cows. The Elliotts are at present milking 15 head and on the 8th of July their milk was tested again at the Irma Creamery and the average for the herd was 4.58 butterfat, and this on short pasture and no grain. This is the highest test made at the Irma Creamery.

They are also good beef cattle and are developing in their weight as they will invariably weigh from 100 to 150 lbs. more by scale than estimate.

Shipments of Bulls on the 30th of June were made to A. E. Baxtor, Borden, Sask., H. A. Harrison, Wilkie, Sask., and Alex. Alho of Obee, Alberta.

Elliott's herd is raised under ideal conditions and a vet. who looked them over recently said they were the strongest constitutioned herd he had seen in Alberta.

The herd comprises 60 pure bred animals and pedigrees are furnished with all sales.

Around forty cars of grain have been shipped from Irma since the first of the month. Part of this was grain that has been in store and was shipped before the managers left for their vacation. There is quite a number of cars of oats and a few cars of wheat being held by the farmers. Most of this grain will be held till all danger of a crop failure is past.

The Edmonton Fair is the main attraction in the capital city this week and each morning train has a quota of visitors from this town and district.

### LUMBER ARRIVES FOR NEW ELEVATOR

Thursday night the first two cars of lumber arrived for the new elevator to be built by the Northern Grain Company to replace the building destroyed by fire recently. All the debris has been cleared away and gravel is being hauled in readiness for the builders who are expected here early next week.

#### TENDERS

Tenders, to clean and varnish wood-work, kalsomine ceiling and walls of School and repairs desks, etc., will be received by the Irma Rural High School Board up to July 31st.

For particulars apply,  
Fred B. Challies, Sec'y

#### TENDERS

Tenders, for the position of Janitor will be received by the Irma Rural High School Board up to July 31st. Janitor to clean windows and oil floor when required.

Fred B. Challies, Sec'y  
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### Here and There

In response to the appeal of the University of Bishop's College, Lennoxville, Que., for \$500,000, to meet present needs, the Canadian Pacific Railway has supported the plea by subscribing \$15,000 to the fund.

Canada will soon be the mecca of many moving picture directors, according to Herbert Brenon, producer for Thomas Meighan, who recently arrived at Banff to film the big outdoor scenes for James Oliver Curwood's "The Alaskan."

The fish catch of the world approximates \$1,000,000,000 a year in its cost to the consumer, of which \$780,000,000, goes to those who harvest it, statistics furnished by the United States Fish Commission declare.

The value of the tourist traffic to Canada is proved by figures supplied by the Parks Department of the Dominion Government, which show that the enormous sum of \$136,000,000 was spent by tourists in this country in 1923. This represents the Dominion's fourth largest source of foreign cash income.

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